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E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: BTIO TC
SUBJ: EARLY WARNING UPDATE - FOREIGN GOV'T TENDER - PRINTING
PLANT

REF: (A) 76 ABU DHABI 205, (B) 75 ABU DHABI 2201

1. ABU DHABI EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HAS APPROVED DEVELOPMENT OF
ABU DHABI PRINTING PLANT PROJECT. ALTHOUGH CHANGE IN SCOPE HAS
DELAYED PROJECT, DESIGN WORK IS PROCEEDING AND PROJECT MANAGER
AT DEPT. OF FINANCE IS CONFIDENT PRESENT TIMETABLE WILL BE MORE
OR LESS MAINTAINED. PLANS NOW CALL FOR INVITATION TO TENDER TO
BE PUBLISHED IN JAN, 1978 WITH CLOSING APPROXIMATELY 60 DAYS
LATER. AWARD OF CONTRACT IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY, 1978 AND PRO-
JECT COMPLETION EXPECTED IN EARLY 1979.

2. DELAYS HAVE BEEN DUE TO PART TO GROWTH IN PROJECT SIZE.
PLANT WAS ORIGINALLY ENVISIONED AS DOING ONLY ABU DHABI GOVERN-
MENT PRINTING, BUT IS NOW BEING REDESIGNED (BY P.E. CONSULTANTS
OF THE U.K.) TO HANDLE PRINTING FOR NOT ONLY ABU DHABI, BUT FOR
THE FEDERAL AND OTHER SIX EMIRATE GOVERNMENTS AS WELL. DECISION
IS EXPECTED WITHIN NEXT COUPLE OF MONTHS ON WHETHER OR NOT PLANT
WILL BE FURTHER EXPANDED TO HANDLE PRINTING OF UAE'S DAILY NEWS-
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PAPERS. VALUE OF PROJECT NOW ESTIMATED AT 50 MIL
DIRHAMS (\$1.00 EQUAL 3.90 DH).

3. EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW PROJECT.
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